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Blunder means town not told about funding cuts

THE decision to cut funding to town and parish councils across St Edmundsbury was made without any proper notice, it has emerged.

Haverhill Town Council will lose £129,000 after St Edmundsbury Borough Council ruled to reduce the Council Tax Support Grant to its towns and parishes by 25 per cent each year. In 2017/2018, the money will be gone completely.

St Edmundsbury previously argued that towns and parishes were informed the cut would take place in July, but in fact they were given no warning at all before it was passed on September 30 – with councillors making that decision believing that parishes and towns had been consulted.

Haverhill Town Clerk Will Austin said: "At the meeting, councillors were told that towns and parishes had been consulted on the issues – and they hadn't been."

Mr Austin said the town council was beginning to look at where savings could be made. It is hoped that the reduced funding will not affect council tax, commitments to the town, or free events too much.

He said: "We are trying hard not to see a significant cut in what we do, so we don't have to think about reducing events we provide and increasing or introducing charges."

Kedington Parish Council was only made aware of the reduction to funding when Mr Austin emailed them.

Marion Farrant, clerk, said the changes would effect the services they provide for the village.

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She said: "We are going to have to look very carefully and see what we can do with the money we have."

A spokeswoman for the borough said: "Unfortunately, although all the indications to the originator showed that this e-mail had been successfully sent, it has recently become clear that most, and probably all, town and parish clerks did not receive it due, we believe, to some kind of technical problem."

"The point of the July letter was to give clerks an early warning. It was not an essential part of the process. We have since sent all clerks a further letter still in very good time for their budget setting process for next year."

Shona Bendix, CEO of the Suffolk Association for Local Councils, has written to all district and borough councils to ask what is happening to the grant "which is supposed to compensate town and parish councils for changes to the council tax system".

Ms Bendix received a copy of a letter sent from MP Brendon Lawson to the National Association of Local Councils Larger Councils' Committee, which stated that funding given from the Government to local authorities will be £3.3 billion – the same as last year.

Though the letter said it was "entirely for local authorities to decide how much is spent on council tax support" Mr Lawson also commented that "the Government will expect local authorities to continue to pass funding down".

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Little ones have a big celebration

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PRESENTED: The cheques were awarded by ONE Haverhill on Tuesday at the Burton Centre.

Community groups to grow with £20k

YOUNG people's activities have been given a welcome boost with a £20,000 donation.

Haverhill Gymnastics Club, the Centre Stage theatre company and Haverhill Town Council are just some of the chosen few receiving funding to expand and continue their good work across the town.

ONE Haverhill presented their grants on Tuesday, after receiving 12 applications requesting more than £43,000.

The board voted to award money exclusively to projects which improve opportunities and activities for young people in the town.

Inspector Peter Ferrie, of Haverhill Police, is Chair of the ONE Haverhill Grants Panel, which awarded £20,284 to seven applicants.

He said: "All of the grants are aligned to the Opportunities for Young People priority in that they directly provide activities for young people or are made to an organisation who have proved

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that a good number of young people will benefit from what they are doing.

"Our congratulations to all those who received grants. This funding will certainly help towards a great number of projects aimed at young people in our town."

Haverhill Gymnastics Club were awarded £5,000 towards their plans to build a new gymnastics centre in partnership with Samuel Ward Academy. The project is going to cost £620,000 in total.

The club have previously received funding from the Olympic Legacy group and Haverhill Town Council.

Kevin Woolcott, Chairman and Head Coach of Haverhill Gymnastics Club, said: "Haverhill Gymnastics Club is delighted to have received £5,000 from the ONE Haverhill grants.

"This grant puts our £620,000 project in the final stages with work due to start in November and completion in June 2014. The club is currently 260 strong with a waiting list of around 350.

"This money is a big stepping stone to allow those children to access a much needed dedicated gymnastics facility."

More than £4,000 was also set aside to go towards Haverhill's new one stop shop for youth services, which is being set up in the old magistrates court and police station on Camps Road.

Haverhill Cricket Club were given £500 towards replacing the Club's 50 year old heavy roller required to provide a safe and quality pitch for all of the teams, including its 70 junior members.

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CHRISTMAS is coming, so why not pick up a few bargains and treat yourself at a Slimming World sale.

Members of groups held on a Tuesday and Wednesday at The New Croft on Chalkstone Way are joining forces to raise money for Breast Cancer Care.

Slimming World Consultant Tania Watson is waiting to hear if she's been awarded a place on

next year's Moonwalk in aid of the charity so she's starting her fundraising early.

The Glitz and Glamour Share Shop and Pamper Evening is taking place tomorrow at The New Croft between 6-10pm.

Pre-loved party season garments and accessories will be up for grabs on a range of stalls, and the bar will be open to help you get in the party mood.

Fire strike to go ahead across the county

ANOTHER fire service strike is taking place nationwide on Saturday. Officers will strike between 11.30am and 6.30pm.

Mark Hardingham, Chief Fire Officer of Suffolk Fire and Rescue, said: "We have now received notification of further strike action on Saturday, October 19.

"Suffolk Fire and Rescue Service is currently operating as normal and we will again implement our con-

tingency plans during this second period of strike action.

"Our focus remains strongly on protecting the people of Suffolk and those who visit our county."

The Fire Service has advised people to remain vigilant during the strike action.

Keep an eye on anything that is cooking, ensure all cigarettes are disposed of and watch naked flames.

Matthew Hancock's jobs fair brings in the crowds

SKILLS Minister Matthew Hancock opened a jobs fair to inspire people to make the most of work.

From 10am until 12.30pm, Haverhill's residents were invited in for a free session, including tips on CV writing, job hunting and changing career.

Jan Cavelle Furniture, Adams Harrison Solicitors, Abbeycroft Leisure and DB Metals were just some of the businesses in attendance at the event, which took place on October 11 at the Arts Centre.

Mr Hancock expressed his gratitude to everyone who helped out on the day.

He said: "It was great to see so many of Haverhill's local businesses and employers out on Friday with so many opportunities on offer."

"I am very grateful to everyone who took the time to come along and I hope that many of those who did find what they were looking for, whether it was a job, an apprenticeship or a traineeship."

West Suffolk College and the National Apprenticeship Service were on hand to discuss apprenticeship opportunities as well as the option of working with traineeships, a new Government supported pre-apprenticeship scheme for those looking to improve their skills and gain further work experience.

Local recruitment agencies 1st Stop Recruitment and PC Recruit offered their own guidance in the fair.



EDUCATION: Matthew Hancock's jobs fair was held at Haverhill Arts Centre.

Kind carer reaches the finals

A PRESTIGIOUS care award could soon be in the grasp of an "empathetic" carer.

Lorraine Poulton, of Place Court Care Home, Haverhill, has been named as Suffolk's Dignity in Care Champion.

Now she's in the running for an accolade at the National Dementia Awards.

Lorraine previously suffered from a stroke, and said the experience of learning to walk again has helped her understand why patients get frustrated.

She said: "I was shocked when I heard about the finals. I love my job and have been doing it for the past nine years. Working with people with dementia is very rewarding because you become close to them and their family."

Place Court Manager Rebecca Abbink praised Lorraine for her empathy and patience. The awards are being held on November 6.

Tragic death of woman, 74, hit by her own car

A PENSIONER died after being knocked down by her own car.

Susan Tovey, 74, died in the tragic accident in Wickhambrook last Wednesday.

Mrs Tovey was struggling to move the automatic Ford Fiesta out of a tight parking spot at round 7.20pm when her neighbour Ray Featherstone, 72, came out of his house and offered to help.

The 74-year-old stood behind the car as her neighbour climbed in, but the car had been left in reverse gear and when Mr Featherstone released the handbrake it shot

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backwards and hit Mrs Tovey.

Mr Featherstone got caught in the door of the car as he leapt out to try to stop it from moving backwards.

He was dragged a short distance across the ground as it reversed, and needed stitches for a cut on his head.

Police and paramedics went to the scene, at Emily Frost Close, but Mrs Tovey was pronounced dead at the scene.

Mr Featherstone, a retired pub landlord, said he wished he had not gone to the window and seen that his neighbour needed help.

He said: "It's really hit me

now, mentally. I'm all aches and pains, but I'm over that. She's not there anymore, I feel awful."

"I lay there for 30 seconds afterwards and I was scared to move, thinking 'am I paraplegic?' I was so lucky, if I'd gone the other way, the car would have gone over me."

Mr Featherstone was also treated for shock, as well as being left with cuts and bruises on his arms, legs and back.

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She said: "If they do not receive a grant for 2014-15, they will be faced with a very difficult decision – to increase their precept demand to pre-

cious levels which will be felt by the public in increased costs – or to implement service cuts."

A parish conference meeting to discuss the future with St Edmundsbury Borough

Council is taking place on October 22 at the Apex in Bury St Edmunds.

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Man, 62, faces trial

A MAN has pleaded not guilty to 12 child indecency offences alleged to have been committed in Haverhill against a girl under 14.

Alan Sharpe, 62, of Farford Field, Great Cornard, is accused of committing the offences between 1981 and 1982.

At Ipswich Crown Court on Friday, October 11, Sharpe pleaded not

guilty to four alleged offences of rape, six indecent assaults and two charges of indecency with a child.

The trial, expected to last seven days, is scheduled to start on March 3.

Judge Rupert Overbury granted Sharpe bail, on the condition he does not contact three named individuals.

Walker injured by passing car

A WOMAN in her 20s was clipped by a car while walking in Haverhill. The victim sustained a leg injury after being hit by the vehicle, believed to be a blue Renault. This happened in Bumpstead

Road at 5.15pm on Tuesday. The driver, a man, stopped at the scene but did not leave any details. Anyone with any information or any witnesses can contact PC Nicholas Chapman on 101.

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UKIP candidate wins town seat

UKIP have celebrated another Haverhill victory after candidate Barry Robbins won the seat in the town's by election.

Mr Robbins, of Broad Street, took 43 per cent of the vote to become the new councillor for Haverhill North after the resignation of Bryan Hawes, also UKIP, in the summer.

He received 374 votes.

Mr Robbins said: "I would like to thank all of the people from the North Ward of Haverhill who voted for me at the recent Town Council election."

"I will do all that I can under the UKIP banner for the benefit of all of the people of Haverhill."

"I believe that Haverhill needs to come back to its former glory, as an expanding town, and that the views of the people need to be heard loud and clear."

Mr Robbins, who has worked for the post office for 38 years, says he "feels so strongly about the town" and wants to rectify the social structure and improve opportunities for youngsters.

Things need to change for the better and one of the main things that needs to be looked at, he says, is the town's health services.

West Suffolk Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) is currently working on a health report for Haverhill in response to what residents want to see.

Mr Robbins said: "I feel very badly



HEALTH IS A PRIORITY: Barry Robbins, new UKIP town councillor

about the health service because we have got nothing locally at all.

"Someone could die by the time they get to Bury St Edmunds or Cambridge - we are a growing town and it's the social issues that are not right."

The newly elected councillor said that when he was young and living in

Haverhill the population was only around 3,000 to 4,000.

Now it is at 27,000 and expected to grow to 37,000 over the next two decades.

County councillor Tony Brown, who represents Haverhill East and Kedington, said UKIP have been working hard since the election to the county in May and they plan to work hard for the good of the town's future.

He said: "It was a great result for us and Haverhill on Thursday night. I would like to thank the people of Haverhill for going out in the bad weather and electing our candidate Barry Robbins."

"UKIP is aiming to get people that care and are passionate about the town to represent us at all levels. "We have enthusiastic people that want to do the job, fight for all the people of Haverhill and make our great little town the best."

Conservative candidate Chris Wheatley took 30 per cent of the vote, and Labour's Lorraine Weston took 25 percent with 212 votes.

Independent candidate Frankie Boyle received 20 votes.

Visit haverhill-tc.gov.uk for further information about Haverhill Town Council.

The next full council meeting is taking place on October 29, at Haverhill Arts Centre.

Ex-landlord jailed for sex assaults

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A "JEKYLL and Hyde" former pub landlord has been jailed for nine years for 18 sex offences against two girls under 16.

Peter Lee, 75, used to run the Woolpack in Queen Street, Haverhill.

While living in the town, the pensioner committed 12 offences of indecent assault on a girl aged under 16 and six offences of gross indecency with a girl aged under 16.

Lee denied the charges, which took place between 1972 and 1981, but was convicted by a jury after less than four hours of deliberation on October 2.

Before being sentenced, Lee was taken to hospital after passing out. He is now on medication for high blood pressure and was sentenced at Ipswich Crown Court yesterday.

During the trial the court heard how Lee, now of Lords Lane, Heacham, touched the girls over and inside their underwear as well as making them touch him indecently.

He forced his victims to keep the abuse a secret.

Charles Myatt, prosecuting, described Lee as a "Jekyll and Hyde" character.

Mr Myatt said: "He had a public front



JAILED: Peter Lee

as the life and soul of any situation, everyone got on with him, but behind the scenes he was a physical and sexual bully."

Both women said in evidence that they had been "too frightened" of Lee to tell anyone what had happened.

The pensioner was arrested in January after the women got in touch

with each other and discussed their experience before informing police.

The younger of the two girls Lee abused said in evidence: "Peter Lee physically and sexually abused me and I can't let him be a pillar of society any longer."

Isobel Ascherson, defending, outlined Lee's previous convictions, including a six month jail term for fraud. None of the convictions were of a sexual nature.

Lee told the court he couldn't understand why the girls had made the allegations.

He said: "None of it is true."

Judge David Goodin told Lee that what he did was "monstrous" and he had used his dominant personality to prevent either of the girls revealing the abuse at the time.

The judge added that the impact on the two victims had been considerable.

He said: "This sort of offending infects and damages the life of those who encounter it."

"You robbed them of the innocence of their childhood."

In addition to being jailed, Lee was ordered to sign on the sexual offences register indefinitely and has been banned from being alone with any female aged under 16.

Nursery re-opens after methane gas scare

A CHILDREN'S centre has re-opened after a gas scare last week.

Fire officers were called to Puddlebrook Day Care on Norton Road, Haverhill, after a strong burning smell was reported in the building at

9.45am on October 11. The area was ventilated after officers discovered a high level of methane gas on site.

A spokesman for Suffolk Fire and Rescue Service said: "Gas and electricity services were isolated by fire crews

and engineers on scene. Crews concluded the incident, and made the area safe."

The nursery re-opened yesterday afternoon, after fire officers confirmed the building was safe.



HEROES: Samuel Ward pupils Lewis Cass, Corey Slater, William Maxwell and Liam Collis

To catch a thief

Samuel Ward students return from exchange trip as heroes after chasing shoplifters through the streets

A GROUP of friends returned from a school trip as heroes after chasing down some shoplifters.

Samuel Ward pupils Lewis Cass, 14, Corey Slater, 15, William Maxwell, 14, and Liam Collis, 14, were shopping in Frankfurt during a recent school exchange trip when they spotted a group of boys behaving oddly in Urban Outfitters.

The Haverhill students watched as the group of boys, who were from Ireland, tried on some new shoes before sneaking upstairs with their old ones still on the shelf.

The boys then waited near the front door for someone with a shopping bag to leave to avoid setting off the alarms and drawing attention to themselves.

Lewis, Corey, Will and Liam decided to split up and see if they could find the shoplifters, who were around 10-12 years old.

Corey said: "It was a bit of a shock to see them stealing because we didn't expect it."

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"We love coming to Germany so we thought we would try and do a good deed."

The foursome eventually chased down the perpetrators and confronted them.

The thieves threw down the stolen shoes and ran away in their socks.

Lewis said: "I felt quite excited that we were going to look for these boys but I never thought we would find them or get the shoes back."

The boys returned the shoes, which cost 120 euros, to the shocked but grateful staff at Urban Outfitters.

Teacher Jan Bergau was with the boys on the trip, which runs every year for around 50 students.

She said: "It was incredible – they have always been fantastic students."

"They have got a great experience to take away and we are proud."

"You have to think what could have

gone wrong if those guys had been aggressive."

But the students said that thought did not even enter their heads – they just wanted to help out.

On last year's exchange trip, Lewis, Corey, Will and Liam spent some of their money on food and drink for a homeless man who looked "in a bad way".

Will said: "We felt really sorry for him, his body looked in a bad way. There was a local bakery selling loaves of bread for cheap and we decided to bring him some food."



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Former outstanding school put into special measures

A VILLAGE school that was hailed one of the best primaries in Cambridgeshire just a few years ago has been put into special measures.

Meadow Primary School in Balsham was dubbed "inadequate" by Ofsted inspectors last week – less than six years after it was judged "outstanding".

Nichola Connor, interim headteacher of the local authority school, who was

not in charge when the inspection was carried out in July, said: "As you can imagine, we are devastated by the results, but we are looking forward and we are committed to ensuring that the necessary changes are made to make The Meadow the school it used to be."

"We are determined to ensure that every child at the Meadow school is given the opportunity to achieve their full potential."

Officers' pay outs for 'unpleasant' work

ADDITIONAL payments have been handed out to police officers for dealing with "unpleasant incidents".

Forces across the country reportedly give compensation to those officers sent out to the scene of a car crash, murder or suicide.

Payments of £50 to £500 were made available after a Home Office review in 2011, stating that the money was reserved for "outstandingly

demanding, unpleasant or important work".

Suffolk Constabulary revealed under Freedom of Information laws what they consider to fall into "unpleasant" work.

They said "handling of a badly decomposed body, dealing with an extremely difficult fatal road accident or investigating an extremely unpleasant offence or incident" would fall into the category.

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Scrap this system!

AFTER reading the article from Inspector Peter Ferrie in the Haverhill weekly last week I would like you to know what I think. My wife had her car hit in Aldi's car park last Thursday and this was witnessed by a man. The gentleman gave my wife the registration number and make/colour of the vehicle. My wife then went to the police station to report this as I have always been told that it's a criminal offence to leave a scene of an accident. To my total amazement my wife was given a driver self-reporting scheme form and asked to fill the form in and send it off.

I have challenged this with Inspector Gary Miller and he confirmed this was the new procedure for reporting this type of incident.

I am annoyed and gobsmacked that I have to fill out a form with questions that are limited, I then have seven days to send in to the traffic justice unit in Lowestoft who will then review the form and make a decision. If they decide to prosecute they will then contact the local police station where the vehicle is registered for them to act, whilst all this is going on I have to contact my insurance company and have my wife's car repaired at my cost.

Before this form came in I would have reported this crime and the Police would have contacted the driver to inform them that it was witnessed that their car was in a collision with another vehicle and acted on behalf of me to hopefully come to a quick resolution, because in the real world the driver might not have known that they had hit the car and wished to pay for the damage without involving insurance companies. So with this form it will take a minimum of seven days to make a decision by someone in Lowestoft who might not wish to take any further action which would mean that the person gets away with breaking the law and I pay for the damage due to no fault of mine. But if the person in Lowestoft does decide to take this further then the driver will be prosecuted without having the opportunity to apologise and pay without insurance involvement. So before it would take a local police office I think two hours to sort this mess out but now it takes at least two police officers, one from Lowestoft and the other local, to try and sort this out, then there is the time that we have spent completing this form in and sending it off?

So my views for Inspector Peter Ferries is that he needs to challenge this procedure and go back to real policing where the

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WATCH THE BIRDIE:
David Hack, who is the British Trust for Ornithology (BTO) Garden Birdwatch Ambassador for Suffolk, sent us this photograph of a male House Sparrow which he took in his garden in Haverhill. David writes: "Since the 1970s there has been a dramatic fall in the British House Sparrow population, from around 12 million pairs to between six and seven million pairs currently. "However, the latest data from the British Trust for Ornithology (BTO) Garden BirdWatch scheme shows that the numbers using our gardens are stabilizing. The BTO Garden BirdWatch is the largest year-round survey of garden birds in the world and anyone with an interest in garden wildlife can join." For more information contact David Hack at dfhack@btinternet.com.

We'd love to see your photos. Email them, as jpegs, to: wendy.davey@cambridge-news.co.uk

police force is to help the community and not hinder and annoy them.
Mr Rowsell
Kedington

Please run with us

I WOULD like to make a special appeal to runners who have been successful in securing a place in the Virgin Money London Marathon 2014 and would like to run for a children's charity. The Children's Trust is the UK's leading charity for children with brain injury, multiple disabilities and complex health needs. In April 2014, the charity will be celebrating its 30th anniversary and it is hoped that runners, who have yet to choose a worthy cause to support, will join our team to help raise funds and make it a successful and memorable occasion. Runners will benefit from expert advice on training, general preparation and diet. Training days will also provide an opportunity to meet other runners

– young and old – some who are running for the first time and others who have taken part in previous years. Being part of the Trust's team will be a great way to enjoy the world famous running event, with lots of enthusiastic supporters cheering you along the route at four 'cheering' sites. There will be a warm welcome at the finish, with physiotherapists on hand to massage weary legs. The Children's Trust will also provide food and refreshments at a nearby venue, where its team of runners will be able to relax with their family and friends. By joining the Trust's marathon team, you will be helping to raise

funds for some very special children.

If you haven't been lucky enough to secure a place in next year's marathon, The Children's Trust has some guaranteed places and we would be delighted to offer these to runners, especially anyone planning to run in fancy dress or aiming to break a world record!

To apply, please visit: www.thechildrenstrust.org.uk/londonmarathon or for further information, please give me a call on 01737 365018.

Bryony Eida
Major Sports Events Manager
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Lamp H Hallowe'en celebrations

GHOSTS and ghouls were out a little early this year as a charity Hallowe'en party took place.

Volunteers and members from Lamp H donned their scariest outfits to see in the year's creepiest holiday.

Joan Garrod House, on Colne Valley Road, was spookily decorated by willing

helpers to set the mood.

Snacks and drinks were provided too. Haverhill Town Mayor, Cllr Roger André, and Deputy Mayor, Cllr Maureen Byrne also attended to help with one of the more difficult tasks – judging for the best costume.

Cllr André said: "A great evening of fun

and games culminated in the costume judging and prize-giving.

"The members clearly enjoyed this evening – as they do all their themed events.

"I am always amazed at how a small group of volunteers, led by Elaine Hatfield, manage to bring so much pleasure to the members with modest resources."



FRIGHT NIGHT: Volunteers and members dressed up for the party.

Research park moves a step closer

A NEW research park is one step closer to completion after the opening of the main entrance.

Haverhill Research Park, off the A1307, is set to be the new home for technology companies on the Cambridgeshire, Essex and Suffolk border.

John Griffiths, leader of St Edmundsbury Council, Mark Reeve, chairman of Greater Cambridge Peterborough LEP, and Mark Pendlington, of New Anglia LEP, all attended the ribbon-cutting ceremony.

Nic Rumsey, managing director of Carisbrooke Developments, said the project would not have come this far without their support.

He said: "It is very satisfying to complete a key element of the infrastructure with the rest of the park's roads, utilities and landscaping due to be delivered in the coming weeks."



OPENING: From left, Mark Pendlington, John Griffiths and Nic Rumsey.

Mini movie throws spotlight on firms

Haverhill businesses have taken a Hollywood approach to advertising – by making and starring in a mini Bond movie.

Photographer and videographer David Doughty, of The Gallery in Queens Square, called on the acting talents of fellow business personalities in Haverhill to star in a promotional video.

Mr Doughty was creating footage to advertise the commercial side of his business, but decided to

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recruit his peers to star in it too.

He said: "I asked the people of Haverhill to get on board and all I heard was yes, yes yes. Someone even loaned us an Aston Martin for a day."

Local singer and songwriter Dale Bennett also got in on the fun, providing the soundtrack to the movie, which was shot in locations in and around Haverhill

including the Days Inn, on Phoenix Road, and Sturmer Hall.

The video will be shown at thebestof Haverhill's event tonight where Nigel Botterill, the franchise founder, is the guest speaker.

Elaine Carr, owner of thebestof Haverhill, said: "David's latest promotional video showcases what can be achieved with video in a very engaging and humorous way."

"He's brought together a

number of business owners and key personalities in the town, taking them way beyond their comfort zone, to produce an entertaining mini movie which demonstrates the skills and professionalism of his team.

"I am sure that everyone who watches the film will enjoy it and will experience first-hand just how powerful video can be in helping businesses to differentiate themselves from the competition."

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CLEAN-UP: The Sainsbury's litter-picking team.

Sainsbury's staff on litter hunt

STAFF members from Sainsbury's took some time out of their morning to keep their area clean.

A dozen collagues from the supermarket in Haycocks Road held a litter-pick around the outside of the store, as well as in the nearby slip road and bus stop. The team also travelled up to the Castle Playing Fields and the

new pond.

By the end of the session, which was held on Tuesday morning, they had collected more than a dozen sacks of rubbish.

Darryl Bashford, clothing team leader, said they decided to do the litter-pick as part of the store's community work.

He said: "It was a big push for working in the community, and we wanted to try and help and get involved."

Sainsbury's Haverhill has no other confirmed community ventures yet, but plans are in place to get something organised for the Christmas season, Mr Bashford revealed.

Tiny Toes team is 'outstanding'

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CHILDREN and staff celebrated at a play centre following their 'outstanding' Ofsted result.

Tiny Toes, based in Sturmer, provides day care, breakfast club, after-school club and holiday club for youngsters aged between one and 14.

Following an inspection in July, manager Amanda Ewings and her team were marked as 'outstanding' across every category.

Children and staff had a party at Simmo's Playzone, Boundary Road, on Tuesday.

She said: "I am very fortunate to have highly qualified, motivated and enthusiastic staff."

During the inspection, Ofsted recognised the children's "exemplary behaviour" and imagination during play-time.

The report said: "Children exude confidence and their behaviour is exemplary."

"Over time, this helps children to approach their future transition into the early years setting and school with great resilience."

Ofsted also praised Tiny Toes for the "vibrant and



PARTY: From left, Julia Rogers, from Simmo's Playzone, Charli Nicholson, Tiny Toes manager Amanda Ewing and Alan Nickson

Picture by David Johnson

stimulating" outdoor spaces, as well as their indoor rooms, which are perfectly designed for little ones to work in.

They said: "Children's imaginative thinking is fully embraced as they help themselves to a wide range of high-quality dressing-up clothes from the low storage rail."

Amanda, who is finishing her Early Years Professional Status Level 6 and is accredited by the Pre School Learning Alliance, said: "We are very lucky to have a garden of approximately four acres

which consists of trampolines, climbing frames, football area, fruit trees, swimming area and not forgetting lots and lots of chickens."

There are four hens in residence at Tiny Toes, and the day care is keen to have ideas for names.

Tiny Toes has a waiting list for places, but slots are expected to come in January and September next year when some of the children move into full time school.

Call 01440 707067 for further information.

KICS cleans up the neighbourhood

MEMBERS of a residents' association took to the streets to tidy up their neighbourhood.

The Keep it Clean and Safe (KICS) residents' association donned their

plastic gloves and collected litter and cigarette ends across their member streets.

Formed in April this year, KICS covers Clements Close, Old Clements Lane, Montfort

Court, Bedford Court, Beaconsfield Court, Clayhive Drive and Clements Drive in Haverhill.

The litter-pick took place on Sunday, October 6.

KICS Chairman Micka Guerit said: "The number of rubbish bags we filled up was impressive and it's sad to see how disgusting and disrespectful some people are."

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MP change call

SKILLS minister Matthew Hancock, the MP for West Suffolk, has called for the country's literacy to improve.

England came 22 in a chart rating literacy for people aged between 16 and 24 around the world.

Join clairvoyant group

Haverhill Ladies are holding a clairvoyant evening for everyone to attend.

It's on at the Bell Hotel, Clare, on October 24.

Doors open at 7pm for a 7.30pm start. Tickets cost £5 on the door.

Call Jo on 07572 113585 for more.

Remembrance parade

A PARADE and service will run in Haverhill on Sunday, November 10.

The annual Remembrance celebration will start at the Arts Centre from 2.15pm.

Former academy pupil gets prize

A SAMUEL Ward leaver has received a poetry award.

Charlotte Westrope, who finished sixth form last year, took home a prize from the Suffolk Young Poets competition.

Her poem was called *Skinny Cousins*.

Police mark anti-slavery day

SAFER Neighbourhood Teams across Suffolk are celebrating anti-slavery day tomorrow.

Officers will try to raise awareness of human exploitation, and carry out work across the county to identify vulnerable individuals.

Sexual exploitation, labour exploitation, criminal exploitation and domestic servitude are only some of these issues.



NEW START: Birgit Zeyrek as she is now and inset, before she lost 3st 4lbs

'It's never too late to change...'

ALMOST 10 years after the birth of her first daughter, mum-of-two Birgit Zeyrek realised what she'd been missing out on.

Birgit rediscovered a love for fitness classes and got to work on transforming herself to regain her pre-pregnancy weight.

Now she has lost 3st 4lbs and qualified as an aerobics instructor.

Birgit, 38, said: "When my youngest one started pre-school I signed up for the gym."

"It's really strange looking at the before and after because it was only two years ago. Now I want to do something to help others."

The 38-year-old qualified in April, and her classes started in September.

Aimed at women who want to be active but can't get to the gym, Birgit's classes are the perfect antidote for a weight slump.

Birgit, of Truntley Close, Haverhill, fell in love with being active from a young age after being inspired by the film *Flashdance*.

She said: "I always did dancing

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when I was younger and my friend and I used to make up little routines in the afterschool clubs."

Birgit has named her classes Aerobics Flashback, and they cost £5 per session.

They run every Wednesday between 10.30-11.30am at Withersfield Village Hall, every Thursday between 6.30-7.30pm at The New Croft and every Friday between 10.30-11.30am at Great Bradley Village Hall.

Slimming World members pay only £4 and if you attend four classes you get the fifth free.

Birgit said: "Many people think when you reach a certain age you don't need to worry about doing sports but you are never too old to change."

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ROCK AND ROLL: Members of Centre Stage in rehearsals for *Return to the Forbidden Planet*, which is coming to Haverhill Arts Centre at the end of the month.



Theatre group's space mission

IF you're in the mood for something rock and roll and a bit different this theatre season, Centre Stage have the perfect trick up their sleeve.

The theatre group's performance of *Return to the Forbidden Planet* is coming to Haverhill Arts Centre at the end of the month – and it will mark a musical directing debut for member Steve Powter.

Steve has been a member of Centre Stage for 15 years and during this time has directed the annual pantomime. When the chance came up to direct the intergalactic interpretation of *The Tempest*, he was the first in line.

The Castle Manor drama teacher said: "I have directed it before at Suffolk Young People's Theatre in Bury St Edmunds, and at the school.

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"They asked me if I wanted to direct it, and I bit their hands off. This one comes back into my life every few years."

A team of 40 adults and children have been working hard in the run up to the production, which is one of the most "out there" the theatre group have ever dared to perform.

The scenery, which stays the same throughout, has been ambitiously crafted from metal scaffolding, the music is all old jukebox favourites and the cast, aged between 13 and 80, are raring to go.

Centre Stage's founding member Barrie Stevenson, who started the group more than 40 years ago, will also perform.

Mr Powter said: "It's going

to have so many layers to it and we have had a couple of fantastic rehearsals – I'm feeling so good about it.

"It's been a real big effort from everyone involved."

Preparation for the show started months ago, and after weeks of hard work the team, which includes 25 cast members, are ready to take to the stage.

Return to the Forbidden Planet will run from October 22 to 26.

For tickets, call the Arts Centre box office on 01440 714140 or visit haverhillartscentre.co.uk.

Centre Stage will also put on their January pantomime, *The Pied Piper*, at the Arts Centre.

Visit centrestagecompany.co.uk for further details about the group.

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Clare Castle Keep rescued from ruin

A HERITAGE site in Suffolk has been saved by restoration work.

Clare Castle Keep has been listed as one of 11 sites removed from the Heritage At Risk Register for 2013.

Following grant-aid from English Heritage and work from Suffolk County Council, the castle keep was

weather-proofed.

Sections of the medieval walls also had to be rebuilt after collapse.

Grey Friars in Dunwich, Suffolk, has also been rescued and removed from being at risk.

There are 98 Grade I and II listed buildings, 220 scheduled monuments, 86

places of workshops, seven registered parks and gardens and 45 conservation areas on this year's register.

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Town businesses band together in the war against the criminals



SAFETY NET: PCSO Sophie Mitchell, William McDonald, Sarah Barrington and PCSO Claire Fuller.

A TELEPHONE network has been set up to protect businesses against shoplifters.

After a distraction theft in a Clare hairdressers over the summer, PCSOs Sophie Mitchell and Claire Fuller got to work on establishing a scheme that would help the town's businesses feel safe and secure.

A town Clare's size was not quite suitable for Shop-Watch, PCSO Mitchell said, so the local Safer Neighbourhood Team (SNT) and the shops decided to work harder on creating something on a community level.

She said: "We thought if we could come up with something like Shop-Watch, where information could be spread quickly and efficiently to all of the shops in the town, they could have a heads-up in advance."

Clare Community Cascade works through a telephone web – if an incident such as a theft, people acting suspiciously or using fake bank notes occurs, the business in question would call the police in the first instance and then ring the business at the top of the tree of contacts, who would then set in place a chain of phonecalls as each business has the responsibility to call two other businesses.

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The scheme started at the beginning of August. There are currently 35 members, who receive a quarterly newsletter detailing how the scheme has been used in the previous three months.

The letters also contain seasonal crime prevention advice.

PCSO Mitchell said: "It helps us to look for these people with descriptions and possible directions of travel. The more people who know about it makes our job easier."

Sarah Barrington of Blue Dog, a homewares and accessories shop, said: "The Cascade is an ideal low-cost and low-tech system that offers us business owners in the town a means of quickly communicating with each other should the need arise."

"It is reassuring to know it is there if we need it and it is great to have the police involved with local businesses, taking the initiative to bring us all together in this way."

William McDonald of The Eye of Time vintage boutique said it was a good way for businesses to look out for each other and remain vigilant.

The team plan to produce a window sticker for participating businesses to display in their windows.

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A spiritual development session is being held at Haverhill Arts Centre on October 31. The event starts at 7pm and tickets cost £5 on the night.

Call Jo on 07572 113585 for more.

Home care consultation

A COUNTYWIDE consultation into home care and community meals started this week.

Running until January 6, the consultation gives members of the public a chance to comment on how they would like to see services delivered in the future.

Gold award for anti-fraud

A PARTNERSHIP of councils have taken home an award for their excellence in anti-fraud.

Breckland Council, Forest Heath District Council, East Cambridgeshire District Council and St Edmundsbury Borough Council carried out inspections to identify fraud in their area.

The team covers nine towns, one city and serves a population of approximately 386,600.

Stoptober advice for Suffolk

SMOKERS received support online yesterday during an exclusive web chat for Stoptober.

Live Well Suffolk advisor Buzz Seager offered advice on stopping smoking and encouragement to those already taking the steps.

Steven Lee-Foster, Director of Live Well Suffolk said: "Currently one in five adults in Suffolk smoke and it is estimated that half of them will die prematurely as a result of their habit."

"We're here to help the county's smokers successfully quit."



WINNERS: The pupils, pictured with teacher Mrs Baldwin.

School gets top horticultural prize

KEEN gardeners from Castle Manor Academy have been honoured with a prestigious award.

The school has been working with the Royal Horticultural Society to make full use of its newly developed kitchen garden, and has earned a Level 5 award for developing community gardening.

In the past 12 months, pupils, parents and other volunteers from the community have worked on many gardening projects including a herb garden, orchard and a bug hotel.

As well as providing an outlet for the academy's children, the garden also provides a location for lunchtime meetings and outside lessons.

With the support of teacher Mrs Baldwin, the school hopes to grow more produce and encourage enterprise as well as looking to create an allotment.

Castle Manor was also recently nominated as a flagship school for gardening, and now offers professional training to other teachers across Suffolk.

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Leaders slam A14 tax

PROPOSED tolling of the A14 is "flawed and short-sighted", according to two council leaders.

The Government proposals to pay for A14 improvements by imposing tolls will threaten economic growth in Suffolk by introducing unfair competition, said Cllr James Waters, leader of Forest Heath District Council and Cllr John Griffiths of St Edmundsbury Borough Council.

In a joint statement, both leaders pledged to back the Suffolk Chamber of Commerce's 'No Toll

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Tax on Suffolk Campaign'.

They said: "While we support improvements on the A14, the toll tax seems flawed and short-sighted at a time when we're trying to boost our economy and encourage growth."

"Having excellent links along the A14 is a key element to success here in Suffolk which is why we have consistently supported much-needed improvements to the road."

The statement added: "However, forcing businesses to pay tolls to improve the road in only some areas, especially when there are no viable alternative routes, will simply encourage them to use other ports and road systems, to the detriment of our local economy."

"It also seems to be promoting unfair competition for our local businesses, not being a tax that other parts of the country have to face."

The councils also object to only one section of the A14, which runs

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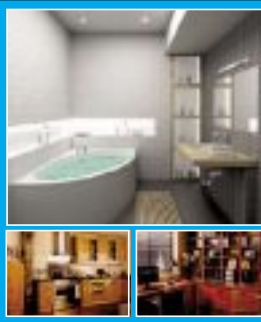
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How I quit gambling – and got my life back



Two years ago, Lee Gaskell was living in a tent – having lost his home, his partner and his daughter. To mark World Homeless Day, which falls this week, he tells Alice Ryan how he turned his life around.

LIVING in a tiny tent, not a penny to his name, Lee Gaskell realised he'd hit rock bottom. After years of gambling away his wages – and seeking solace in drink – his relationship had crumbled. He'd lost his home, his partner – and his little girl.

"It broke my heart, it really did," says the 39-year-old. "I was very badly addicted to gambling, and it's a terrible addiction. I was earning good money as a scaffolder – £500 a week – and all I'd go home with was pennies."

"I was like a baby, to be honest. I'd come in, having lost it all, and cry. But when you're in that frame of mind, when you're trapped in that vicious circle, you just want to gamble again. It's vile. That's the only way I can describe it."

That was just over two years ago, and Lee's life has now changed beyond recognition. The most he gambles is 'the odd fiver on a football match: I love my football' and he drinks only in moderation.

A night porter at the YMCA, which offers a roof and support to

young people in need, Lee loves his job. "I know what it's like to be in a vulnerable position, to be homeless: I've been there, done it and got all the T-shirts, trust me. It's nice to think I'm doing something to help."

He's got a flat, a new girlfriend and, most importantly of all, a great relationship with daughter Olivia. Fishing a photo out of his pocket, he clearly dotes on the 6-year-old: "She's so beautiful. And she's got lots of personality! She's just amazing."

"Olivia was my motivation to

change my life," explains Lee. "Instead of seeking solace in the bookies or in a pint glass, she became my solace."

Lee shared his story to both raise awareness for World Homeless Day last week and lend his support to Cambridge charity Wintercomfort, which marked the event with a 'big breakfast' fundraiser.

"They gave me a lot of support when I first came to Cambridge," explains Lee. "They help you sort out benefits and accommodation – and they give you breakfast. I

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still call in for a coffee sometimes, on the way home from my night shift; it's a great place.

"They fill that missing link for people who've got nobody to turn to. Not everyone has a family to support them."

Originally from Cheshire, Lee came south in the late 90s to take painting and decorating work in Bedford. When the job came to an end, he decided to come to Cambridge.

"I walked here one Sunday afternoon," says Lee. "I have no idea whatsoever what dragged me here, but something did."

"I had some money, a mobile phone, the clothes on my back and four big bags and I walked all the way down the A428, which is a long, long way, I can tell you..."

"That was 12 years ago, and I've been here ever since."

Lee admits his gambling and drinking both stepped up a gear when he came here: "I was doing nothing, just bumming around and living off benefits. I'd go into the bookies because I was bored."

But Lee says he didn't feel he could go back home to Cheshire. "My mum died when I'd just turned 21," he explains. "She had a brain haemorrhage and I was the one who found her."

"She was normally up and about by 6.30am, so I went into her room to say 'Get up for work, you' – and there she was, blood coming out of her nose and mouth. She died the next day in hospital."

"I never cried at her funeral, I was in total shock. I've cried a lot since, though. Mum was the one who held everything together; when she died, we all fell to bits, especially my dad. I don't really see him now."

But with the support of Wintercomfort, Lee got his life back on track: he found work, met his ex-partner, they set up home and had Olivia.

"I was like two different people back then. When I was out I was happy and laughing

and joking, but when I was at home I was like 'Do we have to do this?'; I didn't know how to handle the responsibility of having a family to feed."

"You have to learn to deal with everyday problems without letting it stress you out: when you get stressed, that's when you think 'I need a pint' or 'I'll have a bet'."

Lee's weakness was, he admits, roulette machines: "They can take £100 in 20 seconds. And once you've lost that hundred quid, you want – you need – to win it back. So you bet more... you go past the point of no return."

Miserable about having no money, Lee says he'd then drown his sorrows in the pub. "My ex said she'd support me while I sorted myself out and she did support me, quite literally, for a long time. But in the end we called it a day."

"Then one day I had a drink, went round there, we started arguing... one thing led to another and I ended up being done by the police – for being a plonker, basically. I was just an idiot."

The result was a restraining order, which meant Lee didn't see Olivia for four months; she had just turned 4 at the time.

"I was desperate, I really was. The first time I saw her again, after it was all sorted out, was outside the police station: she just came running towards me and gave me a big hug."

After the separation, out of work and with nowhere to go, Lee had spent weeks sofa surfing before finally pitching his little tent on farmland in Fulbourn, hidden in some trees.

"Even then, I kept myself clean and tidy: I managed to get a shower every day, get clean clothes. When I first went to the street outreach team, to ask for help, they didn't believe I was homeless – I had to show them photos of the tent."

"That's the thing about homelessness: it can happen to anyone. You can walk past

someone on the street and not know they're homeless. I've met people sleeping rough who've had the big houses, the big cars, the big jobs – but, for one reason or another, they've lost it all."

Lee ended up getting a place at 222, Victoria Road, the shelter known in Cambridge as 'the 2s'. "I'd injured my arm scaffolding, which is why I had to give that up. It was while I was at the 2s that I got a job as a relief worker at the YMCA – and I absolutely loved it."

Lee says a determination to give his daughter both a happy childhood and a bright future helped him kick his gambling habit. "I did try Gamblers Anonymous, but it wasn't really for me. In the end, it came down to willpower. And there couldn't have been a better incentive than my daughter."

"All I want now are the normal things," adds Lee. "When you've had them – and then they've been taken away – it's just horrible. At the moment, what I really want is a holiday: I've not been on holiday for seven years. I want to go to New York and take Olivia to FAO Schwarz, the big toyshop."

Looking back, Lee must feel proud of how far he's come? "Yeah, I do feel proud. I've come from nothing, from having nothing, to having almost everything I could want."

"I was broken, I really was. But you have to get up again and get on... it took me a long time, but I did it. Which is proof that change is possible – if you try."

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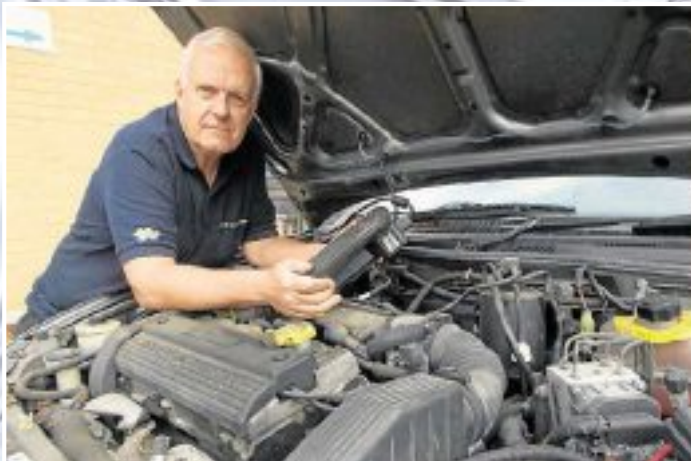
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 Thursday 31 October • 7.00pm
NT Live (Encore)
Frankenstein

 Friday 1 November • 11.30am, 2.30pm
Freehand Theatre present
Who's Been Sitting in my Chair?

 Saturday 2 November • 7.00pm
NT Live Encore
Hamlet
With Rory Kinnear

 Thursday 7 November • 7.00pm
NT Live Encore
The Habit of Art
With Richard Griffiths and Frances
De La Tour

CINEMA

 Monday 28 October
Smurfs (U) • 10.30am

 Tuesday 29 October
Percy Jackson: Sea of Monsters (PG) • 10.30am
The Way, Way Back (12A) • 7.45pm

Coming soon



Public Service Broadcasting

Oh, these boys are cool. Dapper, suited and prepared to the max with electronic samples from quirky public information films, black and white archive footage and propaganda material overlaid with live music (banjos, piano and guitar get a look in). Live, the duo – J Willgoose, Esq and Wrigglesworth – are electric, punching buttons and looking like well-to-do college kids. You will love them, if you have any sense at all.

Cambridge Junction, November 18, £12, (01223) 511511.

London Grammar

Newest indie-pop kids London Grammar are Radio 1 darlings Hannah Reid, Dot Major and Dan Rothman. They met at university in Nottingham and have made a name for themselves by racking up hundreds of thousands of hits on YouTube.

Their debut album, *If You*

Wait, is filled with ethereal, wistful tracks like the haunting *Wasting My Young Years* and the plaintive *Hey Now*. These guys are set for big things.

Cambridge Corn Exchange, February 1, £14, (01223) 357851.

Chvrches

If you haven't yet stumbled across the electro-loveliness of Scottish trio Chvrches, you've been seriously missing out.

Bounding out of nowhere with *Lies* last year, they've followed up with the achingly wonderful *The Mother of We Share* and skin-tingly good *Recover*.

Their debut album, *The Bones of What You Believe*, came out this month and is set to seep into your brain and cling on indefinitely. Can you tell we're massive fans? Go and adore them.

Cambridge Junction, March 12, £13, (01223) 511511.

The Guide gives you an early warning of three upcoming shows you won't want to miss –

Public Service Broadcasting, right, Chvrches, left, and London Grammar, below. Get booking!



■ Centre Stage's RETURN TO THE FORBIDDEN PLANET, a cosmic adventure of meteoric proportions based on the motion picture *Forbidden Planet*, is being performed from Tuesday October 22 to Saturday October 26 at 7.30pm, with a matinee on Saturday. Join Captain Tempest and his fearless crew on their journey into hyperspace ... and beyond! The winner of the 1990 Olivier Award for Best Musical bursts with red hot rock and roll hits including *Great Balls of Fire*, *Good Vibrations*, *Teenager in Love*, *The Young Ones* and *The Monster Mash*. Fasten your seatbelts, set your ray guns to stun and get ready for the adventure of your life!

■ Our programmed cinema for November and December is now available to book and includes satellite performances from the National Theatre, including the celebrated production of Shakespeare's *Hamlet* (Encore) starring Rory Kinnear on Saturday November 2, *The Habit of Art* (Encore) on Thursday November 7 at 7pm, the Alan Bennett play with the late Richard Griffiths, *Frances De La Tour and Alex Jennings* in a study of the relationship between great artists (WH Auden and Benjamin Britten) and the art they produce. Also, the Bolshoi Ballet bring us a host of recorded performances including *Spartacus* on

news from



Sunday November 3, *Le Corsaire* on Sunday November 17 and *Sleeping Beauty* on Sunday January 5 at 3pm. As *War Horse* on Thursday February 27 sold out within days, we have Encore performances scheduled for Saturday March 1 at 5pm and Friday March 14 at 7pm, all available to book now.

■ Dates for the diary include PRESTON REED, New York master guitarist on Sunday October 27 at 8pm, fun for all the family at half term when LDN WRESTLING makes a welcome return on Monday October 28 at 7.30pm and National Theatre Encore of Mary Shelley's *FRANKENSTEIN*, directed by Danny Boyle with Benedict Cumberbatch and Jonny Lee Miller, appropriately on Thursday October 31 at 7pm; let's get gothic!

For more details, telephone Sara Phillips or Pam Jones on 01440 714140 or email marketing@haverhillartscentre.co.uk or boxoffice@haverhillartscentre.co.uk

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Take 2 Thursdays: Grown Ups 2 [Take 2] (12A): Thu 1.15, 7.15
Monsters University [Take 2] (U): Thu 4.15
Cloudy With A Chance Of Meatballs 2 (U): Fri 1.15, 3.30, 5.45; Sat-Sun 11am, 1.15, 3.30, 5.45
Captain Phillips (12A): Fri-Sat 2.30, 5.30, 8.30; Sun 11.30am, 2.30, 5.30, 8.30; Mon-Thu 2.30, 5.30, 8.30
Turbo (3D) (U): Fri 1.30, 3.50, 6.10, 8.30; Sat-Sun 11.10am, 1.30, 3.50, 6.10, 8.30; Mon-Thu 1.30, 3.50, 6.10, 8.30
Turbo (U): Fri 1, 2, 4.20; Sat-Sun 11.40am, 2, 4.20; Mon-Thu 2, 4.20
Escape Plan (15): Fri-Thu 6.40, 9.15
Sunshine On Leith (PG): Mon-Wed 5.45 (subtitles Tues)
Prisoners (15): Fri-Wed 1.50 (subtitles Fri, Mon), 5, 8.10; Thu 1, 8.30
Blue Jasmine (12A): Fri-Sun 8; Mon-Wed 3.15, 8; Thu 2.10, 4.30
Justin And The Knights Of Valour (PG): Sun 11.20am
movies for juniors
Planes (U): Sat 10am
Despicable Me 2 (U): Sat 10.10am
West End Theatre Series: Merrily We Roll Along (12A): Thu 7.30

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Monsters University [Take 2] (U): Thu 4 Jackass Presents: Bad Grandpa (15): Wed-Thu 11.30am, 1.50, 4.10, 6.30, 8.50
Cloudy With A Chance Of Meatballs 2 [3D] (U): Fri-Sat 1, 3.20, 5.40; Sun 10.40am, 1, 3.20, 5.40
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Turbo (U): Fri-Wed 11.40am, 2, 4.20, 6.40; Thu 11.40am, 2, 4.20
Escape Plan (15): Fri-Sat 1.10, 3.50, 6.35, 9.15, 11.15; Sun-Thu 1.10, 3.50, 6.35, 9.15
Enough Said (12A): Fri 1.20, 9.10, 11.20; Sat 3.40, 9.10, 11.20; Sun 3.40, 9.10; Mon-Wed 1.20, 9.10; Thu 1.20
The Fifth Estate (15): Fri 10.50am, 5.55; Sat 5.55; Mon-Wed 10.50am, 2.45; Thu 10.50am
Le Week-End (15): Fri-Sun 8.10; Tues-Wed 8.10
Filth (18): Fri 3.40, 8.30, 10.50; Sat 8.30, 10.50; Sun 6, 8.30; Mon-Wed 3.40, 6, 8.30; Thu 3.40, 8.30
Sunshine On Leith (PG): Mon-Thu 5.30
Prisoners (15): Fri-Sat 12.40, 4, 7.20, 10.20; Sun 12.40, 8; Mon-Thu 12.40, 4, 8
Blue Jasmine (12A): Fri-Sun 6.30; Mon-Tues 1.20, 6.30
Rush (15): Fri-Sun 8.50; Mon-Tues 3.40, 8.50
Bollywood
Boss (12A, subtitles): Sun 4; Mon 7.20
Polish cinema: Waleśa - Man Of Hope (12A): Fri-Sat 12.35, 3.25, 6.15, 9, 10.40; Sun-Wed 12.35, 3.25, 6.15, 9; Thu 12.35, 6.15, 9
Movies for juniors
Planes (U): Sat 10.10am, 10.20am (subtitles)
Despicable Me 2 (U): Sat 10.30am
Epic (U): Sat 10.40am
West End Theatre Series: Merrily We Roll Along (12A): Thu 7.30
Theatre Let (U) - 2D: Mon-Thu 10am

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Take 2 Thursdays: Grown Ups 2 [Take 2] (12A): Thu 12noon, 2.40, 8
Jackass Presents: Bad Grandpa (15): Wed-Thu 2.20, 4.40, 7, 9.20
Cloudy With A Chance Of Meatballs 2 [3D] (U): Fri 1.15, 3.30, 5.45; Sat-Sun 11am, 1.15, 3.30, 5.45
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The Fifth Estate (15): Fri 3, 6, 9; Sat-Sun 6, 9; Mon-Tues 3, 6, 9
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NT 50th Anniversary Encore : Hamlet (12A): Tues 7
West End Theatre Series: Merrily We Roll Along (12A): Thu 7.30

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Captain Phillips (12A): Fri-Sat 2, 5, 8; Sun 1, 3, 6; Mon 2, 5, 8, Tues 1, 4, 8; Wed-Thu 2, 5, 8
Philomena (12A): Sun 10am
The Fifth Estate (15): Fri 5.15; Sat 2.15; Sun 7.45
Le Week-End (15): Fri-Sat 8.15; Sun 12.30; Mon 5.30; Tues 3, Wed 5.45; Thu 11.30am, 2.30
Sunshine On Leith (PG): Fri 1.45; Sat 5.45; Mon 2.15; Tues 12.30; Wed 8.15; Thu 5.30
Pieta (18): Tues 5.30
Bolshoi: Spartacus (no cert): Sun 4
NT Encore: Othello (no cert): Wed 1
NT Encore: Hamlet (no cert): Tues 7
Picturehouse Pythons, Kids Club: Planes 2D (U): Sat 11am
Toddler Time: Amazing Animations (U): Tues 11.30am

film of the week

CAPTAIN PHILLIPS

certificate 12A, 2h14m

TOM Hanks charts a steady course towards a deserved sixth Oscar nomination for his tour-de-force portrayal of an unlikely hero in this nerve-racking thriller.

Based on the book *A Captain's Duty* by Richard Phillips and Stephan Talty, this expertly crafted picture dramatises the true story of an American seaman whose cargo ship was hijacked by Somali pirates in 2009.

Working from a lean script, director Paul Greengrass demonstrates once again why he is one of the finest directors of nail-biting action. If you thought the Surrey-born filmmaker had peaked with the adrenaline-pumping thrills of *The Bourne Supremacy* and *The Bourne Ultimatum*, think again. From the moment the Somalia pirates first appear on the radar, *Captain Phillips* leaves us feeling seaisick with tension until the extraordinary final scene that releases all of that pent-up emotion in a torrent of tears.

Captain Phillips (Hanks) kisses his wife Andrea (Catherine Keener) goodbye



and takes charge of his cargo vessel, the Maersk Alabama, bound for Mombasa, Kenya. On board he is aided by a hard-working international crew including Chief Mate Shane Murphy (Michael Chernus) and Chief Engineer Mike Perry (David Warshofsky).

When pirates are spotted off the stern, Phillips telephones the authorities who at first dismiss the threat. There then follows a tense game of cat and mouse which culminates in the pirates boarding the vessel by hooking their makeshift ladder over the side of the boat.

Phillips conceals the crew below deck in the engine room while he takes charge of the situation. Faced with

threats from Muse and his hot-headed compatriot Bilal (Barkhad Abdirahman), the captain puts himself in harm's way to ensure the safety of every man on board.

When the stand-off spirals out of control, the destroyer USS Bainbridge, captained by Frank Castellano (Yul Vazquez), races to the scene. But Phillips realises the gravity of his predicament and the potentially tragic outcome.

Captain Phillips is one of the year's best films, blessed with a terrific ensemble cast who rise magnificently to the physical challenges. Hanks is flawless – we can see his mind whirling as he engineers distractions to keep the crew safe – and final gut-wrenching scenes wring him, and us, emotionally dry.

films

Where's the wildlife?

ANYONE who's been gardening for some years may well have noticed that, as time moves on, the wildlife which once frequented British gardens is becoming a rarer sight.

In May, the State of Nature report compiled by 25 wildlife organisations found that, for a range of reasons like loss of habitat, 60% of the 3,148 UK animal and plant species assessed have declined in the past 50 years. Hedgehog numbers have also reduced by a third since the millennium, and tortoiseshell butterflies, once common in gardens, have declined by 77%.

"What's most alarming is that many of the 'common' garden species – hedgehogs, house sparrows, starlings and common frogs, for example – are becoming much less common," says Helen Bostock, Royal Horticultural Society (RHS) horticultural advisor.

"Historically these species have done well in our gardens and so their decline is something we really need to sit up and take notice of. This is where gardeners can make a difference and help to halt the declines we're seeing by making their gardens more wildlife friendly. This should be a wake-up

call to all of us."

With this in mind, the RHS and The Wildlife Trusts are spearheading a new initiative called Wild About Gardens Week. The event, backed by celebrity gardeners Diarmuid Gavin, Matthew Wilson and Sarah Raven, runs from October 25-31 and is urging the public, plus the RHS's 3,300 community gardening groups, 17,250 schools and 145 partner gardens, to hold wildlife gardening events during the week. A microsite (www.rhs.org.uk/wildaboutgardensweek) has been set up for groups and individuals to log events.

Chris Baines, vice president of The Wildlife Trusts, says: "The nation's gardens are hugely important for wildlife and as a habitat network they are second

to none.

"Inner-city balconies and courtyards, the suburbs' hedgerows and lawns and the orchards and allotments of market towns and villages all have the potential to be incredibly rich habitats for wildlife.

"There are many simple ways in which we can make our gardens naturally richer. Nest boxes, birdfeeders, log piles, nectar plants, fruiting

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shrubs, wall climbers and ponds all improve the life chances for many garden creatures and, as each of us improves our garden habitat for wildlife, the plants and animals that we attract will bring more pleasure in return. It's a win-win situation."

Throughout Wild About Gardens Week, talks and events will be held at the four RHS Gardens and Wildlife Trusts visitor centres. There will also be wildflower seed giveaways by the trust and the public will be asked to 'Do One Thing' – whether to create a pond, build a hedgehog house or simply put out some bird seed.

Here are a few suggestions from the celebrities backing the scheme:

- "This week gives you the perfect excuse to be a bit lazy and let the grass grow long – research has shown that the lawn contains more native species than any other garden feature," – **Diarmuid Gavin**
- "Nature isn't particularly tidy – the countryside

is full of piles of leaves, rotting wood, dying plants, nooks and crannies. Taking a more relaxed and less tidy approach to our own gardens benefits wildlife by providing similar habitats and food sources. In turn this keeps the garden more balanced and a lot more healthy," – **Matthew Wilson**

• "Make a point of planting a pot of cosmos next year. They flower for many months and are stacked full of nectar at just the time our pollinators appear to be going short," – **Sarah Raven**

• "Get hold of a cheap sponge and soak it in a bucket of sugary water (dilute at about one part sugar to four parts water). Pop it out in the garden for butterflies to munch on – they love it!" **David Domoney**.

The Wildlife Trusts and the RHS will be offering free advice and resources via the website www.wildaboutgardens.org.uk and via the RHS Advisory Service.



puzzles

ACROSS

- Defeated by the elements? (7-6)
- Conscientious when dieting, maybe, about the start of Lent (8)
- Leather cover (4)
- Left margin to the right in which accounts are recorded (6)
- See 20 Across
- See 6 Down
- Sturdy vehicle with corrosion on the outside (6)
- See 2 Down
- 20 & 12Ac. Instructions given to footmen (8,6)
- Transform competence into inconstancy (13)

DOWN

- Military body to subject to strict control (8)
- & 18Ac. Those on the fiddle play a prominent part in this (6-4)
- Present from the teacher, evidently (4)
- It's used by those who dispatch stock (8)
- Realised the girl is beset by a boulder (6)

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crossword

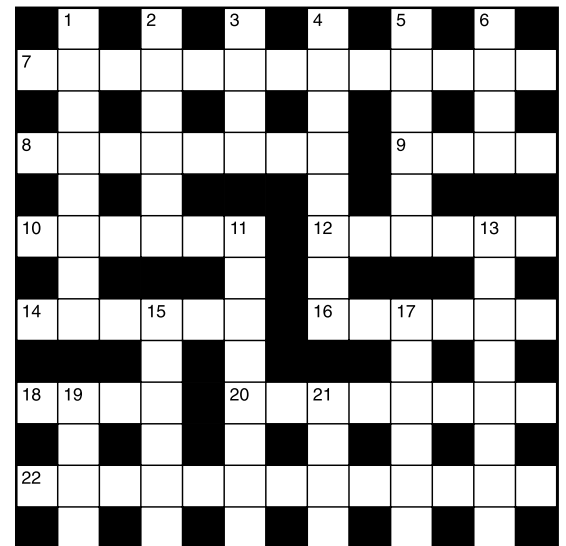
- 6 & 14Ac. Chief water supplier to the river? (4-6)
 11. Be mindful about one in society (8)
 13. Notes are varied to cause vibrations (8)
 15. Concluding part of a legend in German (6)
 17. See the man returning in well-marked setting (6)
 19. It's painful to some teachers (4)
 21. Pearl is smaller than this type of stone (4)

Last week's answers: Across: 1 Shop; 8 All-rounder; 9 Whitener; 10 Undo; 12 Staple; 14 Duress; 15 Bertha; 17 Issues; 18 Sty; 19 Strikers; 21 Deliberate; 22 Wend. Down: 2 High street; 3 Part; 4 Blonde; 5 Poured; 6 Inquires; 7 Ergo; 11 Dishearten; 13 Pathetic; 16 Answer; 17 Inroad; 18 Side; 20 Knew.

sudoku

Last week's answer:

1	5	4	7	9	3	6	8	2
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2	3	9	4	8	1	7	6	5
8	6	1	3	7	5	9	2	4
5	1	2	9	3	8	4	7	6
3	4	6	1	5	7	2	9	8
9	8	7	6	2	4	1	5	3



Each number from 1 to 9 represents a different letter. Solve the clues and insert the letters in the appropriate squares to discover a word which uses all nine letters

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The clues

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 gives a philosopher
 gives a poet
 gives a president

Last week's answer:
 OUTDARING

the **GUIDE**
SATURDAY**BBC1**

6.00am Breakfast. 10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live. 11.30 Paul Hollywood's Bread. 12.00pm Football Focus. 12.45 Saturday Sportsday. 1.00 BBC News; Regional News; Weather. 1.15 Inspire: The Olympic Journey. 1.45 MotoGP. 2.45 Bargain Hunt. 3.15 Escape to the Country. 4.00 Final Score. 5.20 BBC News; Regional News; Weather. 5.40 Pointless Celebrities.

6.30 **Strictly Come Dancing.** Bruce Forsyth and Tess Daly present another ballroom battle.

8.20 **Atlantis.** The trio find an abandoned baby in the mountains.

9.05 **The National Lottery Live.** Chris Evans reveals the results of the Lotto and the Thunderball.

9.15 **Casualty.** Rita lets her personal feelings cloud her judgement while spending a day with the paramedics, and Big Mac forms a connection with a destitute patient (Keith Barron).

10.05 **BBC News;** Weather.

10.25 **Match of the Day.** Including Newcastle United v Liverpool; National Lottery Update.

11.55 **The Football League Show.** Including Watford v Derby County.

1.10am **Weatherview.**

1.15 **BBC News.**

BBC2

6.00am Animal Park. 7.00 FILM: **Carnival Story (1954).** Drama, starring Anne Baxter. 8.35 FILM: **The Lady Vanishes (1938).** Alfred Hitchcock's mystery, with Michael Redgrave. 10.10 Reel History of Britain. 10.40 The Life of Birds. 11.30 Fred Dibnah's Industrial Age. 12.00pm The A to Z of TV Cooking. 12.45 FILM: **Follow the Fleet (1936).** Musical, starring Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers. 2.35 FILM: **Shall We Dance? (1937).** Musical, starring Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers. 4.20 **Urban Jungle.** 4.50 **The House That £100K Built.** 5.50 **Flog It!**

6.50 **Count Arthur Strong.** 7.20 **Walrus: Two Tonne Tusker – Natural World.** An investigation into the breeding habits of walruses.

8.20 **Sir David Frost: That Was the Life That Was.**

9.20 **Frost on Satire.** 10.20 **The Sarah Millican Slightly Longer Television Programme.**

11.00 **FILM: Frost/Nixon (2008).** Fact-based drama, starring Frank Langella and Michael Sheen.

12.55am **FILM: Leaving (2009).** Drama, starring Kristin Scott Thomas.

2.15 **This Is BBC2.** 5.30 **Live MotoGP.** The Australian Grand Prix (Start-time 6.00am).

ITV

6.00am CITV. 9.25 ITV News. 9.30 Saturday Cookbook. 10.25 Murder, She Wrote. 11.25 ITV News and Weather; Weather. 11.30 Surprise Surprise. 12.30pm All Star Family Fortunes. 1.15 Doc Martin. 2.15 Catchphrase. 3.00 FILM: **Star Wars: Episode I – The Phantom Menace (1999).** Sci-fi prequel, starring Liam Neeson. 5.35 ITV News Anglia; Weather. 5.45 ITV News and Weather.

6.00 **New You've Been Framed!** 6.30 **Fool Britannia.** 7.00 **The Chase: Celebrity Special.** With Alastair Stewart, Natasha Hamilton, Kim Woodburn and Keith Chegwin.

8.00 **The X Factor.** The aspiring pop stars perform songs on the theme Love and Heartbreak in the second live studio round, battling to win praise from the judges and support from viewers at home.

10.05 **The Jonathan Ross Show.** With Harry Redknapp, Gordon Ramsay and Frank Lampard.

11.10 **ITV News and Weather;** Weather.

11.25 **Take Me Out.** A pilot, an abseiler, an entrepreneur and a surfer take part.

12.20am **Jackpot247.** 3.00 **The Jeremy Kyle Show USA.**

3.45 **ITV Nightscreen.**

CHANNEL 4

6.10am FIA GT Series. 7.05 VW Racing Cup. 7.30 River Rat Race Stockton. 8.00 The Morning Line. 9.00 The American Football Show. 10.00 Frasier. 10.30 Everybody Loves Raymond. 11.00 The Big Bang Theory. 12.00pm The Simpsons. 12.30 Heston's Chocolate Factory Feast. 1.30 Channel 4 Racing. Live coverage of British Champions Day at Ascot. 4.30 Come Dine with Me.

6.30 **Channel 4 News.** 7.05 **Marvel's Agents of SHIELD.** The team tries to catch a mysterious thief.

8.00 **Grand Designs.** Kevin McCloud follows a London couple's project to transform an inefficient and uninspiring 1950s house into a sleek, modernist masterpiece.

9.00 **FILM: Die Hard (1988).** A New York cop battles armed men who have taken over a Los Angeles skyscraper where his wife is working on Christmas Eve. Action thriller, starring Bruce Willis and Alan Rickman.

11.40 **FILM: The Way Back (2010).** Premiere. Drama, starring Ed Harris and Colin Farrell.

2.00am **Hollyoaks.** 4.15 **Deal or No Deal.** 5.10 **Kirstie's Handmade Treasures.**

5.25 **Countdown.**

CHANNEL 5

6.00am Milkshake! 10.00 Power Rangers: Megaforce. 10.35 Sluggerra. 11.00 The Dog Rescuers. 11.30 Animal Maternity. 12.30pm FILM: **Columbo: Death Lends a Hand (1971).** Detective drama, starring Peter Falk and Ray Milland. 2.00 FILM: **Operation Crossbow (1965).** Second World War adventure, starring George Peppard. 4.15 FILM: **Operation Daybreak (1975).** Fact-based Second World War drama, starring Timothy Bottoms and Martin Shaw.

6.30 **Lost Heroes of World War One.** 7.00 **WW1's Tunnels of Death: The Big Dig.** Part two of two. A camera is sent more than 60ft down a German mineshaft.

8.00 **War Hero in My Family.** 8.55 **5 News Weekend.** 9.00 **FILM: Pale Rider (1985).** Western, directed by and starring Clint Eastwood.

11.25 **CSI: Crime Scene Investigation.** 12.15am **SuperCasino.** 3.55 **Michaela's Wild Challenge.** 4.20 **Make It Big.** 4.50 **Roary the Racing Car.** 5.00 **Angels of Jarm.** 5.05 **Hana's Helpline.** 5.20 **Angels of Jarm.** 5.25 **The Funky Valley Show.** 5.40 **Roary the Racing Car.** 5.50 **Hana's Helpline.**



Strictly Come Dancing, Saturday, BBC1, 6.30pm



Sir David Frost: That Was the Life That Was, Saturday, BBC2, 8.20pm



Surprise Surprise, Sunday, ITV, 7pm



Toast of London, Sunday, Channel 4, 10.40pm

SUNDAY

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast. 7.25 Match of the Day. 9.00 The Andrew Marr Show. 10.00 Sunday Morning Live 2013. 11.00 Sunday Politics. 12.15pm MOTD2 Extra. 1.00 BBC News; Weather. 1.15 Bargain Hunt. 2.15 Escape to the Country. 3.15 Ronnie's Animal Crackers. 3.45 Points of View. 4.00 Lifeline. 4.10 Songs of Praise. 4.45 The Great British Year. 5.45 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.

6.15 **Countryfile.** 7.15 **Strictly Come Dancing: The Results.** Another couple perform their last dance, and Keane provide the music.

8.00 **The Paradise.** New series. Moray has been banished for jilting Katherine, but he is called back when the shop begins to struggle. However, he and Denise's happiness is short-lived.

9.00 **By Any Means.** The team targets a crook being protected by MI5. David Harewood guest stars.

10.00 **BBC News;** Regional News; Weather.

10.25 **Match of the Day 2.** Highlights of Aston Villa v Tottenham Hotspur.

11.15 **MOBO Awards 2013 – Highlights.** The best bits from the ceremony, held at the SSE Hydro in Glasgow.

12.45am **Weatherview.**

12.50 **BBC News.**

BBC2

7.05am FILM: **The Velvet Touch (1948).** Thriller, starring Rosalind Russell. 8.40 **The A to Z of TV Gardening.** 9.00 **Gardeners' World.** 9.30 **The Beechgrove Garden.** 10.00 **Saturday Kitchen Best Bites.** 11.30 **What to Eat Now.** 12.30pm **EastEnders.** 2.25 **MotoGP.** 4.00 **Flog It!** 5.00 **The Flying Scotsman: A Rail Romance.**

6.00 **Great British Railway Journeys.** 6.30 **The Ginge, the Geordie and the Geek.** 7.00 **The Great British Bake Off.** The semi-finalists face three French challenges.

8.00 **Dive WWII: Our Secret History.** Part one of two. Searching for shipwrecks from the Battle of the Atlantic.

9.00 **The Ottomans: Europe's Muslim Emperors.** Rageh Omaar examines why the empire finally collapsed. Last in the series.

10.00 **The Wrong Mans.** 10.30 **QI XL.** Extended edition. With Jo Brand, Graham Linehan and Jimmy Carr.

11.15 **Never Mind the Buzzcocks.** 11.45 **FILM: Glory Road (2006).** Fact-based sporting drama, starring Josh Lucas.

1.40am **Sign Zone: Countryfile.** 2.35 **Sign Zone: Holby City.** 3.35 **This Is BBC2.**

ITV

6.00am CITV. 9.25 ITV News. 9.30 Ade in Britain. 10.25 FILM: **Columbo: Swan Song (1974).** Crime drama, starring Peter Falk and Johnny Cash. 12.25pm ITV News and Weather; Weather. 12.35 **Inside the National Trust.** 1.35 **The X Factor.** 3.40 **Fool Britannia.** 4.10 **All Star Family Fortunes.** 5.10 **Downton Abbey.** 6.10 **You've Been Framed!** Footballing fun.

6.35 **ITV News Anglia;** Weather. 6.45 **ITV News and Weather.** 7.00 **Surprise Surprise.** A 10-year-old boy receives an invitation from Samuel L Jackson.

8.00 **The X Factor Results.** The two least popular acts sing for survival.

9.00 **Downton Abbey.** An opportunity for Alfred creates tension between Ivy and Daisy.

10.05 **ITV News and Weather;** Weather.

10.20 **Women Behind Bars with Trevor McDonald.** Part one of two. Life inside two of Indiana's most dangerous women's prisons.

11.20 **The Cube.** A fitness instructor takes up the challenge.

12.15am **The Store.** 2.15 **Motorsport UK.** 3.05 **ITV Nightscreen.** 5.05 **The Jeremy Kyle Show.**

CHANNEL 4

6.10am Ironman 2013. 6.35 The American Football Show. 7.30 Cardiff Half Marathon. 8.30 Everybody Loves Raymond. 9.00 Frasier. 9.30 Sunday Brunch. 12.25pm The Big Bang Theory. 1.55 The Simpsons. 2.55 FILM: **Angus, Thongs and Perfect Snogging (2008).** Comedy, starring Georgia Groome. 4.55 FILM: **Journey to the Center of the Earth (2008).** Fantasy, starring Brendan Fraser.

6.45 **Channel 4 News.** 7.05 **World's Weirdest Weather.** Alex Beresford explores strange weather associated with fire.

8.00 **Bigfoot Files.** New series. Solving the riddle of mysterious creatures such as Yeti and Sasquatch.

9.00 **Homeland.** Brody returns to his faith for guidance.

10.05 **Was It Something I Said?** 10.40 **Toast of London.** New series. Comedy following the life of an eccentric actor, starring Matt Berry.

11.10 **Alan Carr: Chatty Man.** With Britney Spears, Mo'Nique, Joseph Gordon-Levitt and Jake Bugg.

12.10am **Paddy's TV Guide.** 12.55 **American Football Live.** Indianapolis Colts v Denver Broncos (Kick-off 1.30am).

4.45 **Ironman 2013.** 5.15 **SuperScrippers.** 5.30 **Countdown.**

CHANNEL 5

6.00am Milkshake! 10.00 Great Birmingham Run. Coverage of the half-marathon. 12.15pm **Jungle Babies: Tarsier Tails.** 12.45 FILM: **Are We There Yet? (2005).** Family comedy, starring Ice Cube. 2.35 FILM: **Big Daddy (1999).** Comedy, starring Adam Sandler. 4.20 FILM: **Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs (2009).** Premiere. Animated comedy, with the voice of Bill Hader.

6.10 **Royal Babies.** 7.00 **5 News Weekend.** 7.05 **FILM: The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen (2003).** Fantasy adventure, based on Alan Moore's comic-book series, starring Sean Connery.

9.00 **FILM: The Rock (1996).** Action thriller, starring Sean Connery and Nicolas Cage. Edited for language.

11.40 **FILM: Highlander (1986).** Fantasy adventure, starring Christopher Lambert and Sean Connery.

1.55am **SuperCasino.** 4.00 **Michaela's Wild Challenge.** 4.25 **Make It Big.** 4.50 **Roary the Racing Car.** 5.00 **Angels of Jarm.** 5.05 **Hana's Helpline.** 5.20 **Angels of Jarm.** 5.30 **The Funky Valley Show.** 5.40 **Roary the Racing Car.** 5.50 **Hana's Helpline.**

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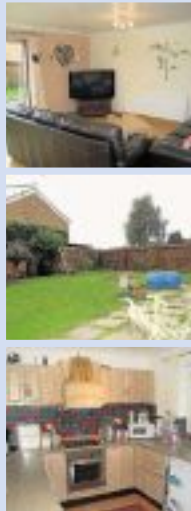
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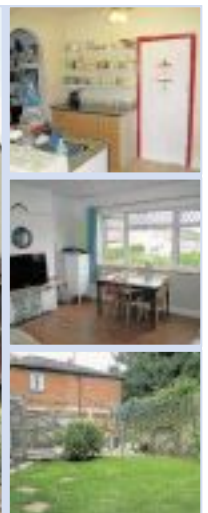
- 3 Bedrooms
- Double glazing
- Kitchen/dining room
- Utility/store room
- NO ONWARD CHAIN

STRADISHALL

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£700 PCM



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£550 PCM



PAVILION COURT

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£550 PCM



LINTON

AVAILABLE SOON

This unfurnished house offers a large lounge/dining room, kitchen and utility, downstairs WC, three first floor bedrooms and bathroom, good size rear garden and off road parking. EPC grade D

£795 PCM



DOVEHOUSE ROAD

AVAILABLE NOW

Located close to the town centre this modern unfurnished property offers accommodation comprising lounge, kitchen, one bedroom, bathroom garden and GARAGE with parking. EPC grade D

£575 PCM



JAY CLOSE

AVAILABLE NOW

This unfurnished property offers accommodation comprising a lounge with patio doors leading to the rear garden, a good size kitchen/dining room and cloakroom, to the first floor there are three bedrooms and modern bathroom with shower. Off road parking to the front. EPC grade D

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Cover **PROPERTY**

Lovely renovated village cottage

Ashen: £375,000

THIS renovated and improved detached village cottage with three bedrooms is on the market in Ashen for £375,000. It has a ground floor cloakroom/shower room, a lounge, a garden/dining room, a kitchen/breakfast room and study. One of the bedrooms comes with an en suite shower room, and there is also a family bathroom. The property also has front and rear gardens and an attached garage. For more details contact Samuel's Independent Estate Agents on (01440) 708100.



- £375,000
- Village location
- Three bedrooms
- Renovated
- Detached



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£1,450pcm

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Sturmer: £270,000



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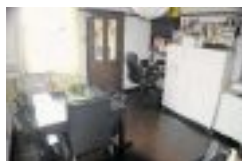
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Bychoice are delighted to offer this rarely available 4 bedroom detached house with double garage on the popular Poppyfields Development. The property is presented in excellent order and internal viewing is highly recommended to fully appreciate.

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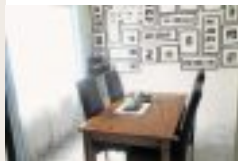


Castle Camps

£335,000

A detached thatched Grade II listed detached cottage offering a wealth of character & set in large gardens next to the village green. The property is in need of some upgrading but benefits from many character features to include large inglenook fireplace & an abundance of exposed timbers (EPC-E)

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Guide price £249,995

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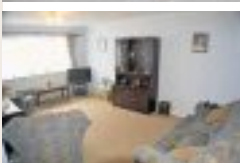


Sturmer

£250,000

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£210,000

A spacious detached 4 bedroom property located on the ever popular Arrendene estate. The property benefits from 2 reception rooms, cloakroom, large garden, garage, double glazing & gas fired central heating. Viewing recommended.

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Kedington

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Steeple Bumpstead

£550 PCM

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Stradishall £99,995
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Cheffins**Haverhill****£145,000**

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**Haverhill****£249,950**

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Haverhill**£164,950**

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NEW LISTING

Reynolds Close **£146,995**

Much improved and extremely well presented linked terraced house offering: re fitted kitchen/dining room, re fitted g/f cloakroom, lounge, two bedrooms, re fitted family bathroom & enclosed rear garden with allocated parking to the rear. EPC rating - D, 63

NEW LISTING **NO ONWARD CHAIN**

Shire Court **£133,000**

Mid-terraced family house offering lounge, kitchen/diner, utility room, three bedrooms, bathroom, separate WC, front & rear gardens, g/f c/h, UPVC double glazing & no onward chain. EPC Rating C, 73

NEW LISTING

Burton Close **£143,500**

End of terrace family house located on the edge of the Parkway development offering l-shaped lounge/diner, kitchen, three bedrooms, bathroom, front & un-overlooked rear garden & g/f c/h. EPC Rating D, 65

NEW LISTING

Withersfield Road **OIRO £209,950**

Well presented semi detached family home, located close to the town centre. The property offers: kitchen/breakfast room, two reception rooms, g/f cloakroom & three bedrooms, UPVC double glazing, g/f c/h & studio/workshop to the rear elevation. EPC rating - E, 46

NO ONWARD CHAIN

Bloomsfield Road **£114,995**

Well presented ground floor apartment offering lounge/diner, kitchen, double bedroom, bathroom, UPVC double glazing, g/f c/h, communal gardens, allocated parking & secured entry system. No onward chain. EPC Rating B, 83

NEW LISTING

Railway Terrace, Kedington **£168,995**

Semi-detached cottage offering lounge/diner, kitchen, two bedrooms, bathroom, g/f c/h, front & rear gardens, garage & parking. Viewing Recommended. EPC Rating E, 51

NEW LISTING

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Well presented extended semi-detached family house offering g/f cloakroom, lounge, conservatory, kitchen/diner, family room/study, three bedrooms, bathroom, front & generous rear gardens & g/f c/h. EPC Rating E, 52

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NO ONWARD CHAIN

Shetland Road **£169,950**

Semi-detached family house offering l-shaped lounge/diner, kitchen, lean to conservatory, three bedrooms, bathroom, g/f c/h, part converted garage, front & rear gardens & no onward chain. EPC Rating D, 59

NO ONWARD CHAIN

Kings Meadow, Kedington **£149,950**

Semi-detached bungalow offering two bedrooms, lounge/dining room, kitchen, re-fitted shower room, front & rear gardens, solar panels and garage en-bloc. No Onward Chain. EPC Rating D, 62



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Offered with no onward chain. Non-standard construction.

**Ashen****£375,000**

Detached cottage offering g/f cloakroom/shower room, lounge, garden/dining room, kitchen/breakfast room, study, three bedrooms, en-suite, family bathroom, oil fired central heating, garden, garage & driveway. EPC Rating D, 60

**Seymour Drive****£265,000**

Extremely well presented detached family house offering lounge, re-fitted kitchen/diner, re-fitted g/f cloakroom, four bedrooms, re-fitted en-suite, re-fitted bathroom, front & rear gardens, detached garage & UPVC double glazing. Viewing Recommended. EPC Rating D, 62

NO ONWARD CHAIN**Crowland Road****£126,500**

Extended terraced house offering lounge, re-fitted kitchen/dining room, family room/utility area, two bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, g/f c/h, UPVC double glazed windows & doors & rear garden. EPC Rating D, 65

**Helions Bumpstead****£310,000**

Much improved and extended family home. Lounge, dining room, ground floor cloak/shower room, re-fitted kitchen/breakfast room and five bedrooms and family bathroom to the first floor. EPC rating D, 56

**Stambourne****£229,000**

Detached bungalow offering lounge, kitchen/dining room, lean to, three bedrooms, bathroom, front & rear gardens, g/f c/h, garage & driveway. EPC rating D, 59

**Cleves Road****£289,950**

Detached family house offering g/f cloakroom, lounge, kitchen/breakfast room, dining room, study, five bedrooms, three en-suites, bathroom, g/f c/h, front & rear gardens, tandem garage & generous driveway. EPC Rating D, 66

VIDEO PRESENTATION AVAILABLE**NO ONWARD CHAIN****Arms Lane, Kedington****£379,950**

Detached thatched cottage with many period features located in a popular Suffolk village offering: lounge, dining room, kitchen, utility room, g/f bathroom, two/three bedrooms, f/f shower room, beautiful gardens, detached garage & log store. EPC Rating F, 35

**Kings Meadow, Kedington****£155,950**

Semi-detached bungalow located in a popular village offering lounge, kitchen/diner, two bedrooms, bathroom, conservatory, front & rear gardens, g/f c/h & garage. Offered with no onward chain. EPC Rating D, 64

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**Recreation Road****£675 pcm**

Terraced house offering lounge, dining room, re-fitted kitchen, two bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, front & rear gardens. Available Early Nov 13. Regret no smokers, pets or DHSS. EPC Rating D, 57

**Arrendene Road****£850 pcm**

Link-detached family house offering g/f cloakroom, lounge/diner, kitchen, three bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, garage & driveway, front & rear gardens. Available Now. Regret no smokers, pets or DHSS. EPC rating D, 65



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In all about 0.6 of an acre.

Guide £565,000

EPC Rating: C

HUNDON

Haverhill 5 miles - Bury St Edmunds 15 miles



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Guide £375,000

EPC Rating: F

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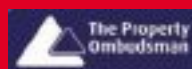
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Murketts welcomes the new Vauxhall Insignia

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Order banks are open and prices now start at £16,279, nearly £2,000 less than the entry level vehicle of the outgoing line-up. With its classic lines, fine styling and premium design, Vauxhall's New Insignia range is likely to appeal to families, business users and company car drivers alike.

What's more, motorists will benefit from a completely redesigned centre console and instrument cluster and improved control-functionality. This accompanies efficient engines and state-of-the-art infotainment systems, in addition to a host of advanced driving safety and assistance features, all of which add to the New Insignia's superior driving experience.

Peter Milner, general sales manager at Murketts Vauxhall, comments: "We've been celebrating a string of new model developments and



VAUXHALL'S INSIGNIA: Significantly enhanced

launches in Vauxhall's 110th Anniversary year and the New Insignia range is testament to Vauxhall's forward-thinking vehicle development."

The New Insignia range comes with a long list of high-level equipment as standard, including an all-new infotainment system incorporating Bluetooth, alloy wheels and cruise control. Customers can also enjoy full smartphone

compatibility alongside a DMB (Digital Media Broadcast) radio across the range.

Customers at the retailer, with sites in Cambridge and Huntingdon, can also take advantage of the New Insignia's four new engines, including: a 98g/km 120PS and 140PS 2.0 CDTi; an all-new 1.6 SIDI 170PS Turbo petrol; and a new 250PS 2.0 SIDI

Turbo petrol, alongside the Insignia's existing diesel units, which have also benefited from a series of refinements.

An all-new rugged, SUV-inspired Insignia Country Tourer has also been added to the New Insignia range. Orders are being taken now for January delivery: please visit murketts.co.uk to find your nearest retailer.



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According to statistics from the 2012 'National Road Traffic Survey', conducted by the Department for Transport and DVLA, there were 34.5 million cars on UK roads with one in 236 people reporting an accident. Motorists can experience stress and frustration when, following an accident, they cannot prove exactly what happened or who was at fault.

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The mid-range Yeti SE with the popular 1.6 TDI 104bhp diesel engine will cost £19,605 to take out of the showroom, while the same trim grade with a 104bhp petrol engine will cost £1,495 less.

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And Strowger won the 13th, 14th and birdied the 15th to take the honours 4&2.

Paul Raffell secured his first major win at the club by taking the Mugs Cup summer matchplay, for golfers with a handicap over 18.

He took on Richard Peck in the final, with Raffell going two up after four holes, a lead he had stretched to three by the turn. Raffell managed to maintain his advantage and then halved the 15th, it concluded the match to give him a 4&3 victory.

David Cohen was the overall winner of the Men's Midweek Medal with nett 64, reducing his handicap to 10. He also won Division One.

David Parsons was first in Division Two with nett 65 and Ellis Woko triumphed in Division Three with nett 68.

Lewis Whiting was victorious in the Junior Medal, beating Louis Martin on countback after both shot nett 74. Dan Walker was third with 96.

Haverhill's adult/junior pairs of Paul Wilby and Ed Halpin, Dave and Mike Perrett, Nick and Joshua Hulyer, Steve and Louis Martin, James and Chris Iron and Mark and Matt Carpenter won a home and away inter-club match against Waldringfield 6 ½-3 ½.

Sheila Graham, Rachel Brown and Sidney Pinches scored a level par 32 to win the first competition for Parklands Academy members.

In the end of season Junior Academy competition, Joshua Hulyer won the Albatross Division, Ben Bradnam took the Eagle Division, Billy Chapman claimed the Birdie Division and Hannah Doyle triumphed in the Par Division.

Haverhill head professional Wilby said: "It has been fantastic to see the progress of our juniors who attend our Junior Academy sessions. We have juniors who have started on handicaps of 36 who are now playing off handicaps between two and six.

"As a coach, it is a great feeling to be a part of this progression and would like to thank all those at the club who help to support our academy programme."

Haverhill's Billy Bush won the handicap section of the Saffron Walden Golf Club Junior Open, cutting his handicap from 22 to 18.



Cup win: Tony Strowger who won the Spencer Woods Cup at Haverhill Golf Club.

> Football

Veterans are excited about Spanish test

WEST Wrating veterans have got a European date as they get ready to take on Oliva this weekend.

A squad of 18 and almost 30 others will be flying out tomorrow to take on the Spanish team, who are based in a town close to Valencia.

The Spaniards came over to England last year and West Wrating's old guard, which will comprise players aged between 40 and 56 on the trip, ran out 2-1 winners so their opponents will be keen to get revenge.

But whatever the result, manager Royston Denley and his men will enjoy themselves.

"When we played them here they had an older team than us and they played some cracking football," said secretary Colin Miller.

"It's going to be another tough game, but we're looking forward to the hospitality afterwards as they normally put on a great spread with tapas, beer and wine."

The link-up came through club friend Keith Bunting, who originally organised a match for Newmarket against Oliva.

Lee double sets up win for Wrating

JOSH Lee grabbed two as West Wrating edged out Cambridge Celts 5-4 in BM Kempton 9v9 Youth League 12A.

Finley Plant, Samie Gare and Jack Lisher were also on target to seal the win for Wrating.

Daniel Cordwell snatched a consolation for West Wrating as they went down 4-1 against Milton in Cambridge & District Colts League 14A.

Wrating were forced to play most of the game with 10 men after Ethan Murphy was carried off due to injury.

Four first half goals settled the game for Milton.

> Rugby union

Poor start costs Haverhill

Haverhill were unable to recover from giving Hadleigh an early head start as they lost 25-13 in Eastern Counties Two.

Two missed tackles allowed Hadleigh to go in front inside two minutes, but Haverhill were back on level terms as Kieron McDonagh crossed the line.

Basic errors were ultimately Haverhill's undoing, and an out-of-range penalty was turned into range by them not retreating 10 metres, allowing Hadleigh to make it 8-5.

Kieran Ewens' kicking allowed Haverhill to set up a driving maul, which was driven over the line by Chris Flannery.

A running move after the hour mark allowed Hadleigh to go 13-10 in front, but it was 13-13 when Ewens kicked a penalty.

However, when Ewens was sin-binned, it allowed Hadleigh the chance to cross the line twice in 10 minutes to take the game away from Haverhill to win 25-13.

■ Haverhill sent a combined team of under-nine and under-10 players to Witham for a series of matches.

The first game saw Haverhill run out 25-5 winners thanks to a hat-trick from Ryley Brown and further tries from Jack Barney-Bytham and Josh Branley.

Defences dominated the second match and despite tries from Brown and Harry Singleton, Haverhill lost 15-10.

The third and deciding game saw both sides play open, attacking rugby and after good play by Alex Baker, Brown dotted down for Haverhill's first try.

He touched down again later in the match to seal a 10-0 win for the visitors.

A combined under-eight and under-seven team from Haverhill enjoyed three wins at Witham.

Ewan Grey scored Haverhill's first two tries and an effort from Bradley Peachey extended the lead.



Stop right there: Haverhill's Ricky Brown (centre) gets ready to put in a tackle against Hadleigh.

Oliver Brown scored a hat-trick as Haverhill continued to dominate and although Witham were able to score four tries, stubborn defending from Oliver Singleton, Laila Brown, George Baker, Marcel Corey and James Harmer prevented them from adding any more. In the second match, Haverhill won 35-20 with

Peachey, Grey, Laila Brown and Archie Kiddy among the try scorers.

Haverhill carried the momentum into the third game which they won 30-15.

Kiddy, Oliver Brown, Peachey and Marcel Corey were among those to crash over the whitewash.

> Football

Rovers' fine unbeaten run is finally brought to an end

Haverhill Rovers saw their unbeaten start to the Thurlow Nunn League, Premier Division campaign come to an end on Wednesday night as they lost 2-0 at Walsham-le-Willows.

Rovers fell behind 10 minutes before half time and then conceded again midway through the second half as they tasted defeat in the league for the first time this term.

Teenager Dan Jeffrey came off the bench and scored his first Rovers goal with only his second touch of the match as they ran out 4-1 winners over 10-man Gorleston in the Premier Division on Saturday.

Jeffrey, 16, was introduced by manager Dean Greygoose with the hosts leading 3-1, and with his first touch he controlled the ball on his thigh, before he volleyed it past the goalkeeper with his second.

It put the icing on the cake for Rovers, with the boss delighted with the way his team performed and the entertainment they provided for the home crowd.

They took the lead from a corner as Andrew Ofosu found the net from six yards out, but they were pegged back after some defensive mistakes resulted in an opponent finding the net.

Rovers then had a bit of good fortune for their second goal, Greygoose believing the award of a penalty, which was successfully converted by Jack Wilkinson, for handball to have been harsh.

Things got worse after the interval for Gorleston as one of their defenders was shown a second yellow card for a foul on Ofosu.

And Dan Cornwell gave Rovers a two-goal cushion as he beat the goalkeeper in

a one-on-one situation after his initial attempt had been saved, before young substitute Jeffrey sealed it.

"They (Gorleston) will whinge about our second goal from a penalty that perhaps wasn't, but we had 27 efforts on goal compared to their six, so that tells the story," said Greygoose.

"Our attacking play was the best I've seen from a club at this level for a very, very long time. It was one and two-touch football, and their keeper had to make five or six very good saves.

"We gave away a poor goal and we got a bit of luck for our second, and then they had a centre-half sent off, and they could have had their other centre-half sent off as well.

"I still thought Gorleston were as good a side as we've played, but we put in our best performance to date. Considering we're a young team, with five guys under 21 playing and a 16-year-old coming off the bench to score, it was very, very pleasing and I was proud of them."

Haverhill Borough went down 3-0 at Swaffham Town in the Thurlow Nunn League, First Division on Saturday as they conceded three times in the second half.

Luke Strutton had Borough's best chance in the first half, while Ryan Weaver forced the goalkeeper into a good save with 54 minutes gone.

But Borough shot-stopper Liam Cutts was beaten three times in the final half an hour to condemn them to defeat.

And they were denied the chance to bounce back on Wednesday night as their match at Braintree reserves was postponed due to a waterlogged pitch.

On the run: Owen Longley goes forward for Haverhill Borough against Swaffham.
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Lively: Borough's Aaron Bowmer.

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